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**SEARCH NOTES
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EAST BRS (USPAT, USPGPUB, EPO, JPO, DERWENT) various text searches, see attached	10/5/2006	LRD
inventor name search	10/5/2006	LRD
PLUS search	10/5/2006	LRD
updated prior search; carefully considered combination of cited references	3/15/2007	LRD
updated all prior searches, consulted with Exr Bianco regarding enablement and new limitations	8/27/2007	LRD
applicant interview, consulted with SPE regarding inoperability of Stringer reference to operate as argued by applicant	6/13/2007	LRD
updated prior searches, EAST BRS, consulted with SPE, TQAS on new matter, claim limitations, advised rejection on new matter	2/12/2008	LRD
consulted affidavit expert Lacey on handling of misc letters	2/14/2008	LRD